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The Honorable Peter DeFazio Chair Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure U.S. House of Representatives 2134 Rayburn House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Sam Graves Ranking Member Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure U.S. House of Representatives 1135 Longworth House Office Building Washington, DC 20515

Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for the modernization of important arterial roads in Chicago, Illinois, in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

The project sponsor for this project is the City of Chicago and the project is located throughout Chicago streets and roadways in the 9th Congressional District of Illinois.

The funding is designated for the resurfacing and modernizing of key Chicago arterial roadways within the 9th Congressional District. CDOT needs resources to modernize and update streets (aerial resurfacing) on multiple streets throughout the city.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to provide safety improvements and long-term cost savings by reducing maintenance expenses. By including bicycle, pedestrian and transit improvements where appropriate, additional benefit is provided increasing safety and mobility.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

Jan Schakowsky Member of Congress

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